CIVIL APPOINTMENTS.

Heads of Departments and all other officers concerned are informed that notifications in the Gazette are in future to be accepted as disposing of all references regarding leave, appointments, transfers, powers and other personal questions affecting Gazetted officers, as to which orders are gazetted by the Government in this Part of the Gazette, and that any subsidiary orders as to relief of their subordinates and the like, which such notifications necessitate, must be issued by them on receipt of the Gazette, as no other orders will be issued by Government.

No. 12078 –*Med.* 233-07-3, *dated* 19*th May* 1908.

Under Article 177 of the Mysore Service Regulations, Mr. T. S. Siddappa, Sub-Assistant Surgeon, is granted privilege leave of absence for forty-five days with effect from the 20th May 1908 or other date from which he may avail himself of the same.

The Petition Box kept at the General and Revenue Secretariat, Bangalore, will be cleared at 12 noon every day by the Secretary to Government, and in his absence from Bangalore, by one of the Under-Secretaries.

By Order,
C. S. BALASUNDARAM IYER,
Offg. Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

PUBLIC WORKS.

No. 482—3354, *dated* 18*th May* 1908.

Captain N. B. E. Dawes, R.E., Deputy Chief Engineer and Under-Secretary to the Government of Mysore, Public Works Department and Railways, is granted under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave of absence for three weeks, with effect from the 5th instant.

By Order,
W. MCHUTCHIN,
Secy. to Govt., P. W. D.

MYSORE STATE RAILWAYS.

No. 555—*Ry. F.* 1-0-8, *dated* 4*th May* 1908.

Under Section 31 of the Mysore Railway Regulation, 1894, the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore sanction the adoption on the Railways over which the Durbar have jurisdiction, of certain amendments to the General Rules of 1906, for working open lines of railways referred to in the Railway Board's Notification No. 84, dated the 20th March 1908, published at pages 233 and 234, Part I of the *Gazette of India*, dated 21st March 1908.

The amendments as sanctioned above are published for general information.

By Order,
W. MCHUTCHIN,
Secy. for Railways, Govt. of Mysore.

No. 84.—The following is published for general information :—

No. 548 R. T.

RAILWAY BOARD.

Calcutta, the 17*th March* 1908.

Adoption on such portions of the Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway, and of the railways worked by it as are situate in British territory, of the amendment in Rule 14, Chapter III, Part II, of the General Rules of 1906, for working open lines of railway.